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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the TITLE page, in field (60), under "Related U.S. Application Data", in column 1, line 3, delete "is a division" and insert -- are divisionals --, therefor.

On the TITLE page, in field (56), under "Foreign Patent Documents", in column 1, line 1, after "2/1998" insert -- G01N 33/50 --.

On the TITLE page, in field (56), under "Other Publications", in column 1, lines 11-12, delete "Saccharomyces" and insert -- saccharomyces --, therefor.

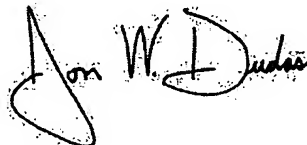
On the TITLE page, in field (56), under "Other Publications", in column 1, line 12, delete "Escherichia" and insert -- escherichia --, therefor.

On the TITLE page, in field (56), under "Other Publications", in column 2, line 17, delete "characterizatio" and insert -- characterization --, therefor.

On the TITLE page, in field (56), under "Other Publications", in column 2, line 25, delete "Nucleid" and insert -- Nucleid --, therefor.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D".

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